NOT FOR PUBLICATION

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS DIVISION OF ST. THOMAS & ST. JOHN

DEE DEE BYAS,

Plaintiff,

V.

Civil No. 2006-238

LEGISLATURE OF THE VIRGIN

ISLANDS, and USIE RICHARDS, in)
both his official and personal)
capacities,

Defendants.
)

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ORDER

GÓMEZ, C.J.

On November 24, 2008, the defendants filed a motion for partial summary judgment.¹ On December 1, 2008, the defendants filed a memorandum of law in support of their November 24, 2008, motion for partial summary judgment.

¹ The November 24, 2008, motion was unaccompanied by a memorandum of law.

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Local Rule of Civil Procedure 7.1(d) provides that "no document filed with the Court shall exceed twenty (20) pages without leave of Court." LRCi 7.1(d).

The defendants' motion is twenty-four pages long, excluding exhibits. The record does not reflect that the defendants sought, or were granted, leave of court to file a motion in excess of twenty pages.

Local Rule of Civil Procedure 56.1(a)(1) provides, in part, that summary judgment motions shall be accompanied by "a separate statement of the material facts about which the movant contends there is no genuine issue." LRCi 56.1(a)(1). That rule also provides that "[e]ach fact paragraph shall be serially numbered and shall be supported by specific citation to the record." Id.

The defendants' motion neither includes nor is accompanied by a separate statement of material facts.

The premises considered, it is hereby

ORDERED that the defendants' motion for partial summary judgment is **DENIED** without prejudice.

CURTIS V. GÓMEZ
Chief Judge